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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6396 NOTE PREPARED: Nov 26, 2003

BILL NUMBER: HB 1033 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Local Government Ethics Codes.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Brown C BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> The bill requires municipalities and counties to establish a code of ethics not later than July 1, 2005.

Effective Date: July 1, 2004.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Requiring municipalities and counties to establish a code of ethics not later than July 1, 2005, will increase administrative expenses for local units; however, the units should be able to absorb any additional costs given their current budgets. Some units may have a code of ethics already established.

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Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Municipalities and Counties.

Information Sources:

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